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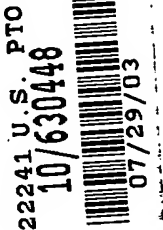
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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**  
**(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))**

Docket No. : PFOT0001/MRK  
Inventor(s) : Robert A. Foth  
Title : APPARATUS, SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR AQUATIC SPORTS  
COMMUNICATIONS  
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Date: July 29, 2003



1. ☒ **FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM** (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing).
2. **IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION**  
\_\_\_\_ This application is a \_\_\_\_\_ of patent application No. \_\_\_\_  
  
Prior application information: Examiner ; Group Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_  
  
☒ This application claims priority pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(e) and 37 CFR §1.78(a)(4), to  
provisional Application No. 60/400,215; Filed: July 31, 2002
3. **APPLICATION COMPRISED OF**  
  
**Specification**  
☒ Specification, claims and Abstract (23 total pages)  
  
**Drawings**  
☒ 10 Sheets of drawing(s) (FIGS. 1a to 10)  
  
**Declaration and Power of Attorney**  
☒ Newly executed  
\_\_\_\_ Unexecuted declaration  
\_\_\_\_ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))(for continuation and divisional)
4. \_\_\_\_ **Microfiche Computer Program** (Appendix)
5. \_\_\_\_ **Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission** (if applicable, all necessary)  
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\_\_\_\_ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)  
\_\_\_\_ Statement verifying identity of above copies

**6. APPLICANT(S) STATUS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.27**

☒ Applicant(s) and any others associated with it/them under § 1.27(a) are a SMALL ENTITY

**7. ALSO ENCLOSED ARE**

- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for the parent application and the required fee are enclosed as separate papers
- ☐ An Assignment of the invention with the Recordation Cover Sheet and the recordation fee are enclosed as separate papers
- ☐ This application is owned by pursuant to an Assignment recorded at Reel , Frame
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
- ☒ Copies of 54 IDS Citations
- ☐ Certified copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)
- ☐ English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
- ☒ NonPublication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (should be specifically itemized).
- ☐ Other

**8. STATEMENT REGARDING FEDERALLY SPONSORED R&D**

The invention was made by an agency of the United States Government or under a contract with an agency of the United States Government.


☒ No ☐ Yes, the name of the U.S. Government agency and the Government contract number are:

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### FEE DETERMINATION

CLAIMS AS FILED					
	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	LARGE ENTITY RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	21 - 20	= 1	x \$9.00	x \$18.00	9.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3 - 3	= 0	x \$42.00	x \$84.00	
MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE			\$140.00	\$280.00	
BASIC FEE			\$375.00	\$750.00	375.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$384.00
List Independent Claims: 1, 15 and 20					

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**NONPUBLICATION REQUEST  
UNDER  
35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

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Title

APPARATUS, SYSTEMS AND METHODS  
FOR AQUATIC SPORTS COMMUNICATIONS

Atty Docket Number

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I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

**Applicant(s)** hereby request(s) that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

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This request is signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and is being submitted with the application upon filing.